

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA**

IN RE: CENTURYLINK SALES
PRACTICES AND SECURITIES
LITIGATION

MDL No. 17-2795 (MJD/KMM)

This Document Relates to:
Civil File No. 18-296 (MJD/KMM)

**PLAINTIFFS' MOTION FOR FINAL APPROVAL OF
CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT AND PLAN OF ALLOCATION**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that, pursuant to Rule 23(e) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure and the Court's Order Preliminarily Approving Settlement and Authorizing Dissemination of Notice of Settlement Pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 23(e)(1) (*Craig v. CenturyLink, Inc.*, No. 18-cv-296 (MJD/KMM), ECF No. 360), Court-appointed Class Representatives the State of Oregon by and through the Oregon State Treasurer and the Oregon Public Employee Retirement Board, on behalf of the Oregon Public Employee Retirement Fund, and Fernando Alberto Vildosola, as trustee for the AUFV Trust U/A/D 02/19/2009 (collectively, "Plaintiffs"), by their counsel, Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossmann LLP and Stoll Stoll Berne Lokting & Shlachter P.C., will hereby move the Court, before the Honorable Michael J. Davis, on July 20, 2021 at 11:00 a.m., either in person at the United States District Court for the District of Minnesota, Courtroom 13E of the Diana E. Murphy United States Courthouse, 300 South Fourth Street, Minneapolis, MN 55415, or by telephone or video conference (in the discretion of the Court), or at such other location and time as set by the Court, for entry of a Judgment approving the proposed

Settlement as fair, reasonable, and adequate and for entry of an Order approving the proposed Plan of Allocation as fair and reasonable. This motion is based on (a) the Joint Declaration of Michael D. Blatchley and Keil M. Mueller in Support of (I) Plaintiffs' Motion for Final Approval of Class Action Settlement and Plan of Allocation and (II) Lead Counsel's Motion for an Award of Attorneys' Fees and Litigation Expenses; (b) the Memorandum of Law in Support of Plaintiffs' Motion for Final Approval of Class Action Settlement and Plan of Allocation; and (c) all other papers and proceedings herein. A proposed Judgment and an Order granting the requested relief will be submitted with Plaintiffs' reply papers after the June 29, 2021 deadline for objecting to the Settlement and the Plan of Allocation, and requesting exclusion from the Class, has passed.

Dated: June 15, 2021

Respectfully submitted,

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